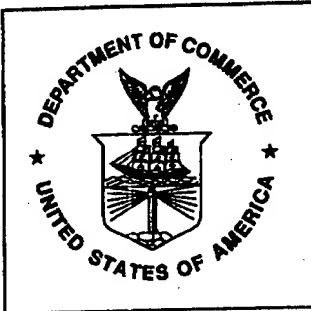

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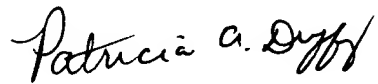
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Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Patricia A. Duffy". The signature is written in black ink and is positioned above the typed name and phone number.

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